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things as measured by herself is of course a very ordinary thing, but the miraculous is that she finds in a few years her following numbers over a million.

At the age of eighty-six years this inscrutable old woman, who has been attacked on the one hand by the medical profession and on the other hand by the church, who is continually arraigned by the masses of the intelligent populace, sits counting her recruits—among whom she can reckon men of higher education than she is capable of estimating and money which flows in without being checked by the stringency of the times.

The failure of her "faith" to justify itself by cures, etc., does not apparently affect her following. They accept her explanations and bow to the inevitable.

Much has been written for and against Christian Science, the magazines have been in some instances monopolized by the claims and pretensions of the cult, the lawsuits, the temple, but so far as we know there is no work which embraces the whole subject so completely as the present one. Mr. Powell will not make any converts for Mrs. Eddy.

A TEXT-BOOK OF PHYSIOLOGY. By Isaac Ott, A.M., M.D., Professor of Physiology in the Medico-Chirurgical College of Philadelphia; Ex-Fellow in Biology Johns Hopkins University; Consulting Neurologist, Norristown Asylum, Pennsylvania; Ex-President of the American Neurological Association, etc. Second Edition Revised and Enlarged. F. A. Davis Company, Philadelphia.

THE second edition of Isaac Otts' Text-Book of Physiology appears only three years after making its first bow to the public. The present volume is increased over one-third of its original proportions. Much of the original text has been rewritten; much new matter has been added, including the latest developments in the science of physiology in all its branches, making the book thoroughly up to date as a reference and final authority on all questions relating to the study of physiology

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A MANUAL FOR HOSPITAL NURSES AND OTHERS ENGAGED IN ATTENDING THE SICK. By Edward I. Domville, L.R.C.P., London, M.R.C.S., England. Surgeon to the Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital; Lecturer and Examiner St. John's Ambulance Association. Ninth Edition. Blakiston's Sons, Philadelphia. Price, Seventy-five cents.